

SO, YOU WANT TO GO PRO?

Nearly eight million students play sports in high school, so let's be realistic. The odds are against you making it to the big leagues, simply based on the numbers. And what if you have a career-ending injury?

> Have a back-up plan <

There are several occupations that will keep you in the game:

Coaches and Scouts
Reporters and Correspondents
Public Relations Specialists
Photographers
Athletic Trainers
Physical Therapists

Women's Basketball

High school players - 412,407
Will play in college - 4.0% (16,614)
Will be drafted by WNBA out of college - 0.9% (150)
High school players that will go pro - 0.04%

Baseball

High school players - 487,097
Will play in college - 7.3% (35,460)
Will be drafted by MLB out of college - 9.8% (3,475)
High school players that will go pro - 0.7%

Football

High school players - 1,036,842
Will play in college - 7.1% (73,557)
Will be drafted by NFL out of college - 1.6% (1,177)
High school players that will go pro - 0.1%

Men's Basketball

High school players - 551,373
Will play in college - 3.4% (18,816)
Will be drafted by NBA out of college - 1.2% (226)
High school players that will go pro - 0.04%

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